Sealed tenders are invited for the conveyance of mails by motor vehicles daily between Tiptur P. O. and Navile P. O. throughout the year on a fixed monthly subsidy for a period of three years commencing from the date which will be notified. The approximate daily mileage involved at present is 29 miles.

2. No tenders quoting "Any remuneration deemeed suitable" or words to that effect will be accepted. Should a tenderer so desires, he may offer to convey mails free of mention the amount which he is prepared to pay the Department per month for the privilege of carrying the mails. If the subsidy is quoted, it should be for a complete rupee or rupees and should not contain any fraction of a rupee.

3. A copy of the schedule showing the full details of the services and copies of form of tender (on which tenders must be made) and agreement and any further information in the matter may be obtained on application from the office of the undersigned on payment of Rs. 5 which must be credited in a post office and receipt therefor produced. This sum will not be refunded in any case.

4. All tenders must be addressed to the undersigned by name "M. A. Hamid Khan, Esq., B.A.", clearly marked "Tender for the Tiptur P. O.—Navile P. O. mail contract" on the outside of the cover and must reach him on or before the 1st May 1939.

5. The tenderers should forward with their tenders letters of evidence from the District Superintendent of Police or other District authorities to the effect that the vehicles mentioned in the tender have been or will be licensed and permitted to run on the particular road or roads mentioned in the tender.

6. The minimum number of motor vehicles required to be maintained by the contractor will be two. Tenderers must clearly state whether they are aggreable to maintain this number of vehicles as ot herwise their tenders will not be considered.

7. Each tender should be accompanied by Rs. 25 in cash as deposit money which will be refunded if the tender is not accepted. Tenders without earnest money are liable to be summarily rejected. Should a selected tenderer fail to take up the work by the specified date, his tender will automatically lapse and the deposit money pledged by him forfeited.

8. Tenders will be opened by the undersigned in his office on the 2nd May 1939 at 12 NOON in the presence of such of the tenderers as may wish to be present there.

9. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest or to assign any reason for the rejection of any tender.

M. A. HAMID KHAN,
Superintendent of Post Offices,
Bangalore Division.

DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

FRUIT RESEARCH STATION, HESSARGHATTA.

Tender Notice dated 10th April 1939.

Notice is hereby given that separate sealed tenders will be received in the Office of the Superintendent, Government Gardens in Mysore, Lal-Bagh, Bangalore, up to 3 P.M. on Saturday the 29th April 1939 for the supply of (*a*) fodder and concentrates, packing materials, manure hardware, paints and parahs and other miscellaneous articles, (*b*) baskets, etc., and (*c*) pots, etc., as detailed in the undermentioned schedule, to Fruit Research Station, Hessarghatta, Bangalore Taluk. The contract will be for a period of one year from 1st July 1939 to 30th June 1940.

2. In the schedule detailed below, the approximate quantity and description of articles required are given. The intending supplier must state clearly in column (3), the rate at which each article can be supplied and delivered free of transit charges at Lal-Bagh, Bangalore, during the period of contract furnishing samples thereof.

3. No tender will be received or considered unless accompanied by a Treasury Duplicate Chellan for having remitted the earnest money of Rs. 100 for the supply of articles detailed in Schedule.

4. Each tender should be prepared and sent to the official address of the undersigned on or before the due date in the *Prescribed Departmental Tender Forms* only; if it is not done and accordingly received in conformity with the following conditions, it will not be considered; and shall be rejected without intimation.

5. The rates should be quoted for the unit as detailed in the schedule and should not be altered according to the choice of the tenderer.

6. The total amount of cost against each item should be noted in the last column under "Total amount" calculated with reference to the approximate quantity given in column No: 3.

7. Tenders will be opened by the Superintendent, Government Gardens in Mysore, Lal-Bagh, Bangalore, in the presence of such of the tenderers as happen to be present at the time.

8. The successful tenderer will be required to execute the contract bond on the usual Government Stamp Paper within a week from the date of acceptance of tender, binding himself to the conditions for the due fulfilment of the contract, failing which his earnest money will be forfeited to Government and his tender rejected.

9. The deposit of the unsuccessful tenderers will be arranged to be refunded in due course and the earnest money of the successful tenderer at the end of his contract period.

10. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor. Payment for the articles supplied will be arranged on receipt of a bill in duplicate.

11. No application from the contractor for any sort of concessions whatever on account of rise in the price of articles in the market, due to scarcity or other causes will be considered.

12. The contract should not be sublet.

13. If the stipulation of the contract be frequently violated, the Superintendent, Government Gardens in Mysore, Lal-Bagh, Bangalore, will annul the contract and the earnest money deposited will be forfeited to Government and the tenderer will be liable for any loss that the department will have to incur consequent on the purchase to be made elsewhere.

14. The contractor should be prepared to supply any other articles not noted in the schedule at market rates whenever they are required.

15. The quantities noted in the schedule are only approximate and the contractor should be prepared to supply more or less according to requirements.

16. If the contractor, after undertaking the contract, is not willing to carry out his agreement he shall give a month's notice and shall forfeit the earnest money to Government.

17. The supplies are to be made according to approved samples and according to indents issued to him by this office signed either by the Superintendent or the Manager, Fruit Research Station, Hessarghatta.

TENDER FORM.

Sl. No.	Items	Approximate quantity required	Per	Rate	Total amount
	A.1. Fodder and concentrates.				
1	Horsegram	10 pallas	Palla		
2	Paddy Straw	15 tons	Ton		
3	Salt	100 seers	Seer		
4	Ragi Straw	10 tons	Ton		
	A.2. Packing materials, etc.				
1	Coir-ropes (10 yds. roll)	15	Each		
2	Do medium size	10	,,		
3	Do small size for packing	100	,,		
4	Do well ropes	2	,,		
5	Cotton ropes of sizes	10	,,		
6	Coir ropes machine made (Ing.)	25	,,		
7	Coir Brush flat	12	,,		
8	Tellicherry Twine	10 viss	Viss		
9	Do Machine made	10 ,,	,,		
10	Ball Twine, white	12 dozens	Dozen		
11	Nose thread for bullocks	6 ,,	,,		
12	Date mats (small)	100	Each		
13	Packing paper (Brown)	10 quires	Quire		
14	Tissue paper	10 ,,	,,		
15	Pin sheets	10 sheets	Sheet		
16	Gum (pure)	3 viss	Viss		
17	Needles of sizes	2 dozens	Dozen		
18	Ink pads, self Inking English	6	Each		
19	Sealing Wax local	2 lbs.	lb.		
20	Cloth-lined paper best quality	20 yards	Yard		
21	Lantern wicks of sizes				
22	Cocoanut Brooms	24	Each		
23	Ordinary Brooms	24	,,		
24	Cardboard in sizes	25 lbs.	lb.		
25	Indelible Ink	20 bottles	Bottle		
26	Long cloth White	50 yards	Yard		
27	Do Red	25 ,,	,,		
28	Do Green	25 ,,	,,		
	B. Pots, Seed-pans, etc., (in red and black colour).				
1	Three-inch pots	1,000	Hundred		
2	Four-inch pots	500	,,		
3	Five-inch pots	2,000	,,		
4	Six-inch pots	5,000	,,		
5	Nine-inch pots	1,000	,,		
6	Twelve-inch pots	100	,,		
7	Fourteen-inch pots	100	,,		
8	Seed-pans 12 inches	500	,,		
9	Mud water pots (2 gals. capacity)	100	,,		
10	Perforated pots for orchids (6″×9′ rim)	100	,,		
11	Burnt clay tiles 2′×4½″ big	1,000	,,		

Sl. No.	Items	Approximate quantity required	Per	Rate	Total amount
	C. Baskets, Bamboos, etc.			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
1	Big baskets 2½′ diameter	50	Each		
2	Medium size baskets 20″ dia.	50	,,		
3	Small size baskets 16″ dia.	50	,,		
4	Postal baskets big sizes (1′×1½′)	12	,,		
5	Do small (½′×1′)	12	,,		
6	Bamboo trays sizes	50	,,		
7	Cart baskets	6	,,		
8	Winnows	40	,,		
9	Bamboo sieves	..	..		
10	Flower baskets	155	,,		
11	Vegetable Flat baskets (2′ dia).	100	,,		
12	Bamboo mats of sizes	150	,,		
13	Bamboo poles 10′ to 20′ long	25	,,		
	A.4. Manure.				
1	Sheep manure	150 carts	Cart		
2	Farm yard manure	500 ,,	,,		
	A.5. Hardware.				
1	Brass locks of 4 to 6 levers 1″	12	Each		
2	Do do 3″	6	,,		
3	Do do 4″	6	,,		
4	Iron door locks	6	Each		
5	Table locks, 3 to 6 levers	12	do		
6	Miller locks of sizes	12	,,		
7	Oil cans, small and big	12	,,		
8	Hammers of sizes	10 lbs.	Lb.		
9	Gland cocks in sizes	..	Each		
10	Glass pans ½″ thick sizes	..	,,		
11	Do 1–16″ do	..	,,		
12	Files, flat, round, half-round and 3 corners in sizes (smooth and rough) ..	12	,,		
13	Wire nails, ½″ to 3″	5 lb.	Lb.		
14	Gal. Iron wire thick and thin	20 ,,	,,		
15	Iron bolts and nuts in sizes	5 ,,	,,		
16	Pin taxs in ½″ to 1″	10 ,,	,,		
	A. 6. Tools.				
1	Iron water pots, 3 gallons	200	Each		
2	Do 2 do	200	,,		
3	Gal. Iron water cans 3 gallons	37	,,		
4	Do 2 do	38	,,		
5	Do 1 do	16	,,		
6	Gal. Iron water buckets (13″ dia.) ..	24	,,		
7	Pick-axes, all steel, English, 7 lb. weight ..	24	,,		
8	Big guddalies	39	,,		
9	Small guddalies	40	,,		
10	Digging fork, Bates , 4 frongs	40	,,		
11	Mumtees swan-necker English, 3 lbs. ..	39	,,		
12	Garden Rakes, 16 teeth	42	,,		
13	Hand Hoes	48	,,		
14	Spades Best quality (Bates, English make) ..	19	,,		
15	Scrapers (local)	60	,,		
16	Felling axe 7 to 11 lbs. steel	12	,,		
17	Do 2 to 3 lbs. do	6	,,		
18	Sickles local	36	,,		
19	Iron pans 12″	18	,,		
20	Nail puller	3	,,		
	A. 7. Paints and Varnishes.				
1	Mysore Polish	..	..		
2	Turpentine, Indian make	25 bottles	Bottle		

Serial No.	Items	Approximate quantity required	Per	Rate	Total Amount
3	Coal tar in 4 gallons tin and per lb. ..	..	Tin		
4	Methylated Spirit	12 Bottles	Bottle		
5	White lead paint No. 541 of 14 lb. kegs. (Ready mixed)	30 Kegs	Keg		
6	Black Japan	4 Tins	Tin		
7	Painting brushes, flat $2\frac{1}{2}''$	13	Each		
8	Do $1\frac{1}{2}''$	13	,,		
9	Do $2''$	13	,,		
10	Hongey Oil	10 Bottles	Bottle		
11	Neem Oil	26 ,,	,,		
12	Grease (B. O. C.)	15 lbs.	Lb.		
13	Bees Wax	7 ,,	,,		
14	Monkey Brand Kerosene Oil of 4 gallons tins at S. P. C. rates	24 tins	Tin		
15	Lubricating oil for carts	8 gallons	Gallon		
16	Writing Brushes	36	Each		
17	Painting Brushes round copper brand No. 1 ..	12	,,		
18	Bearing oil for Electric Motor (B. O. C.) ..	12 gallons	Gallon		
19	Brass Metal Polish No. 12	..	..		
20	Letter Painting Brushes	24	Each		
21	Enamel Black, white, pan, etc., in 14 lb. tins	6 tins	Tin		
	A. 8. *Wood.*				
1	Arecanut trees 20′ to 40′	200 trees	Each		
2	Casuarina poles 30′ to 40′	200 ,,	,,		
	A. 9. *Miscellaneous Articles.*				
1	Sand paper rough and smooth	2 dozen	Dozen		
2	Emery paper (Davis)	12 sheets	Sheet		
3	Cotton waste	22 lbs.	Lb.		
4	Rosin	..	,,		
5	Line rope fibres 300′ long	20 bundles	Bundle		
6	Coir rope 60′ long	10 ,,	,,		
7	Lantern (English make) with chimney ..	12	Each		
8	Lantern chimneys	12	,,		
9	Washing Soap, Mysore	12 cakes	Cake		
10	Phenyle, English	30 gallons	Gallon		
11	Brasso Polish	3 Tins	Tin		
12	Silvoo Polish	3 ,,	,,		
13	Drawing Pins	24	Each		
14	Tape, plain and coloured	20 yards	Yard		
15	Gloy, large and small	12 Bottles	Bottle		
16	Glass corked bottles 1 lb. size	4 dozen	Dozen		
17	Enamel Basin 10″ and 12″ dia.	40	Each		
18	Enamel Jug	10	,,		
19	Enamel Plates No. 24	36	,,		
20	Channapatna Lime	250 seers.	Seer		
21	Pure zinc sheets	12	Each		
22	Match Boxes	2 dozen	Dozen		
23	Glue	..	..		
24	Cement, Niligiri Bag	25 Bags	Bag		
25	Saw Dust	5 Mds.	Md.		
26	Mortar	20 carts	Cart		
	A. 10. *Chemicals, etc.*				
1	Tobacco	25 lbs.	lb.		
2	Precipitated Sulphur	10 ,,	,,		
3	Arsenate of Soda	10 ,,	,,		
4	Acetate of lead	5 ,,	,,		
5	Sulphuric Acid	10 ,,	,,		
6	Potassium cyanide 98 per cent	10 ,,	,,		
7	Chloroform	3 ,,	,,		
8	Creosote	3 ,,	,,		

Serial No.	Items	Approximate quantity required	Per	Rate	Total Amount
				Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
9	Napthaline	10 Lbs.	Lbs.		
10	Sulphate of iron	5 ,,	,,		
11	Paraffin	5 ,,	,,		
12	Potassium Permanganate	10 ,,	,,		
13	Carbolic Acid	1 ,,	,,		
14	Carbon-bisulphide	1 ,,	,,		
15	Rectified Spirit	5 Gallons	Gallon		
16	Potassium Sulphide	2 Cwts.	Lb.		
17	Copper Sulphate	25 Lbs.	,,		
18	Copper Carbonate	1 Lb.	,,		
19	Strong Ammoniac liquor	1 ,,	,,		
20	Corrosive Sublimate	1 ,,	,,		
21	Vaseline	12 Tins	Tin		
22	Absolute Alcohol	10 Lbs.	Lb.		
23	Caustic Potash	10 ,,	,,		
	A. 11. *Chemical Manures.*				
1	Superphosphate	1 Ton	Ton		
2	Sulphate of Ammonia	1 ,,	,,		
3	Sulphate of Potash	1 ,,	,,		
4	Bone Meal	1 ,,	,,		
5	Hongey Oil cake	1 ,,	,,		
6	Cotton seeds	400 Cwts.	Cwt.		
	A. 12. *Bricks.*				
1	Garden Edging Bricks	2,000	100		

L. S. DORASAMI,
Superintendent,
Government Gardens and Fruit Research Station, Hessarghatta.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, EXCISE DEPARTMENT, MYSORE DISTRICT, MYSORE.

*Notification No. K*1-682-38, *dated the 8th April* 1939.

Tenders are invited for the exclusive privilege of vending Arrack, Toddy, Ganja and Opium in the shops of Gundlupet Taluk as detailed below for twelve months from 1st July 1939 to 30th June 1940.

2. A deposit of Rs. 100 in respect of Toddy Shops and Rs. 25 in respect of the Arrack, Ganja, Opium or individual toddy shops as earnest money in cash should accompany the tender which should be sent in sealed cover superscribed "Tender for Excise Shops". The tenders should be sent to the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, so as to reach him before 2 P.M. on Saturday the 29th April 1939, after which time no tenders will be accepted. In the event of the tender being rejected, the deposit amount will be refunded.

3. Tenders will be opened by the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, or any other officer authorised by him at Mysore in the Deputy Commissioner's Office at 4 P.M. on 2nd May 1939, in the presence of such of the tenderers as may be present. The final disposal of the tenders will rest with the Deputy Commissioner who reserves to himself full discretion to reject any or all of them without assigning any reason therefor and to dispose of the shops otherwise at his discretion.

4. The tenders may be sent for an individual shop, group of shops or for all the shops in the taluk together. If the same highest amount is tendered by two or more persons, the privilege in question may, at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, be put for auction restricting competition between those who have tendered such highest amount or it may be disposed of in any other manner as deemed suitable by him.